HOUSE BILL 1862

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AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, relative to assessments required for admission to a four-year public postsecondary institution.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 7, Part 1, is amended by adding the following as a new section:

Each four-year public institution of higher education:

- (1) Shall require each student seeking admission to, or enrollment in, the institution as an entering freshman for the 2022-2023 academic year or a subsequent academic year to submit the student's score on the assessment required under § 49-6-6001 or on a nationally recognized college admissions test before the student may be admitted or enrolled; and
- (2) Shall not admit or enroll a student in the institution as an entering freshman for the 2022-2023 academic year or a subsequent academic year unless the student has submitted the student's score on the assessment required under § 49-6-6001 or on a nationally recognized college admissions test.

SECTION 2. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.